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REMARKS

Version With Markings To Show Changes Made

Attached hereto is a marked-up version of the changes made to the claims by the current amendment. The attached pages are captioned VERSION WITH MARKINGS TO SHOW CHANGES MADE.

Summary

The foregoing amendments eliminate the multiple dependency of claim 9, thereby reducing the filing fee. An early action on the merits of this application is respectfully requested.

Respectfully submitted,

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VERSION WITH MARKINGS TO SHOW CHANGES MADE

IN THE CLAIMS:

Claim 9 has been amended and new claim 12 has been added as follows:

- 9. (Amended) The storage device available capable of increasing transmission speed as in claim 7—or 8, wherein said data compression/decompression module is embedded in said controller.
- 12. (New) The storage device capable of increasing transmission speed as in claim 8, wherein said data compression/decompression module is embedded in said controller.